PTO/S8/30 (09-04)
Approved for use through 07/31/2006, OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademerk Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1895, no persons are required to respond to a collection of Information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Request	Application Number	09/829,872		
for Continued Examination (RCE)	Filing Date	April 10, 2001		
Transmittal	First Named Inventor	Brian J. Sto	ckman	
Address to: Mail Stop RCE	Art Unit	1631	<u>-</u>	
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450	Examiner Name	Michael L. B	lorin	
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket Number	6311.N	<i></i>	
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) un Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CF 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RC	R 1 114 does not apply to any u	ilily or otant or	colination floor princeto funo A	
<ol> <li>Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114) Not amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unent amendment(s).</li> </ol>	order in which they were filed u	aless annlicant	Include albanulas If	
a. Previously submitted, if a final Office action is a considered as a submission even if this box is a	pulstanding, any amendments file not checked.	d after the fina	l Office action may be	
i. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on				
fi. U Other				
b. Enclosed				
I. ✓ Amendment/Reply  ii. Affldavil(s)/ Declaration(s)	iii Information	n Disclosure S	tatement (IDS)	
2. Miscellaneous	Other		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Suspension of action on the above-identified a period of months. (Period of suspension b	pplication is requested under 37 on shall not exceed 3 months; Foc un	CFR 1.103(c) : der 37 CFR 1.17	for a (i) required)	
Fees The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-4895 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.				
i. RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)	i. RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)			
ii, Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.135 and 1.1	·			
iii, Other			<del></del>	
C. Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed	b. Check in the amount of \$enclosed			
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Crecard Information and authorization on PTO-2038.		t <b>be</b> included	on this form. Provide credit	
	L-ATTORNEY, OR AGENT RE	OLIDED		
Signature (MM) (Lieum	Date		Jan. 10,200	
Name (Print/Type) Ann M. Mueling	Regi	stralion No.	33,977	
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION  I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail to an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 or facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.				
ignature Caux E (lu——				
Name (Print/Type) O Sara E. OLSON	Date	Trucer	110,2005	
This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.114. The information to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 at	i is required to obtain or retain a bone nd 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This colle	If by the public	which is to file (and by the USPTO	

including gathering, replaction. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, about be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS, SEND TO: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

PTO/\$8/30 (09-04) Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

Application Number  Filing Date  First Named Inventor  Art Unit  Examiner Name  Attorney Docket Number  Inder 37 CFR 1.114 of the ab  R 1.114 does not apply to any utilities (not to be submitted to the USI)  If the RCE is proper, any previousles in which they were filed up	ity or plant application filed prior to June 8, PTO) on page 2.  usly filed unentered amendments and less applicant instructs otherwise. If icant must request non-entry of such
First Named Inventor  Art Unit  Examiner Name  Attorney Docket Number  Inder 37 CFR 1.114 of the ab R 1.114 does not apply to any utilities (not to be submitted to the USI)  If the RCE is proper, any previous order in which they were filed unered amendment(s) entered, apply utstanding, any amendments filed untered amendments filed.	Brian J. Stockman  1631  Michael L. Borin  6311.N  ove-identified application.  lity or plant application filed prior to June 8, PTO) on page 2.  usly filed unentered amendments and less applicant instructs otherwise. If icant must request non-entry of such
Art Unit  Examiner Name  Attorney Docket Number  Inder 37 CFR 1.114 of the ab R 1.114 does not apply to any utilities (not to be submitted to the USI  If the RCE is proper, any previous order in which they were filed unlered amendment(s) entered, apply  utstanding, any amendments filed	Michael L. Borin 6311.N  ove-identified application. Tity or plant application filed prior to June 8, PTO) on page 2.  usly filed unentered amendments and less applicant instructs otherwise. If ficant must request non-entry of such
Examiner Name  Attorney Docket Number  Inder 37 CFR 1.114 of the ab  R 1.114 does not apply to any utilities (not to be submitted to the US)  If the RCE is proper, any previous order in which they were filed unlered amendment(s) entered, apply  utstanding, any amendments filed	Michael L. Borin  6311.N  ove-identified application.  lity or plant application filed prior to June 8,  PTO) on page 2.  usly filed unentered amendments and less applicant instructs otherwise. If ligant must request non-entry of such
Attorney Docket Number nder 37 CFR 1.114 of the ab R 1.114 does not apply to any uties (not to be submitted to the US/e: If the RCE is proper, any previor order in which they were filed unered amendment(s) entered, applications, any amendments filed untitle the standing, any amendments filed untitle the standing, any amendments filed untitle the standing, any amendments filed the standing.	6311.N  ove-identified application.  lity or plant application filed prior to June 8, PTO) on page 2.  usly filed unentered amendments and less applicant instructs otherwise. If ligant must request non-entry of such
nder 37 CFR 1.114 of the ab R 1.114 does not apply to any uti- Es (not to be submitted to the USI E: If the RCE is proper, any previor order in which they were filed un ered amendment(s) entered, appl	ove-identified application.  If you plant application filed prior to June 8, PTO) on page 2.  The provided amendments and less applicant instructs otherwise. If figure to such the provided in the provided i
R 1.114 does not apply to any utiles (not to be submitted to the USI at the RCE is proper, any previous order in which they were filed unered amendment(s) entered, apply utstanding, any amendments filed	ity or plant application filed prior to June 8, PTO) on page 2.  usly filed unentered amendments and less applicant instructs otherwise. If icant must request non-entry of such
utstanding, any amendments filed	·
	·
iii.   Information	Disclosure Statement (IDS)
oplication is requested under 37 C in shall not exceed 3 months; Fee und	CFR 1.103(c) for a er 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)
following fees, or credit any over	Oavments to
dit card information should not	be included on this form. Provide credit
T, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REC	OUIRED (0.00)
Date Regis	9au. 10, 30
	133,977
States Bostol Consist with sufficient a	ostage as first class mail in an envelope e transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark
Date	Tanuary (0,2005
	iv. Other

the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS, SEND TO: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2